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For: ORGANIC ACID RESISTANCE IMPROVEMENT IN POLYMER COATED METALS	)	

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, and in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants are submitting herewith the attached Form PTO/SB08a/b for consideration and to be made of record herein by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-captioned application. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(ii) copies of the U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications are not enclosed.

The documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB08a/b were cited by the Examiner in an Office Action issued in the corresponding Russian Application. WO 97/44394 is an English language equivalent to RU 2188837C2.

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Respectfully submitted,

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